

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

ROGERIEUX, et al.

Serial No.: 10/035,327

Filed: January 4, 2002

For: SAMPLE PROCESSING SYSTEM FOR A PLASMA SPECTROMETER
FOR ANALYSING VISCOUS SAMPLES, AND SAMPLES INSOLUBLE
AT ROOM TEMPERATURE

Confirmation No.: 2171

Art Unit: 1743

Examiner: S. Siefke

Docket No.: 103120-00029



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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

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Commissioner of Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

October 20, 2004

Sir:

Applicants petition the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to extend the time for responding to the Office Action dated July 15, 2004, for one (1) month from October 15, 2004 to November 15, 2004.

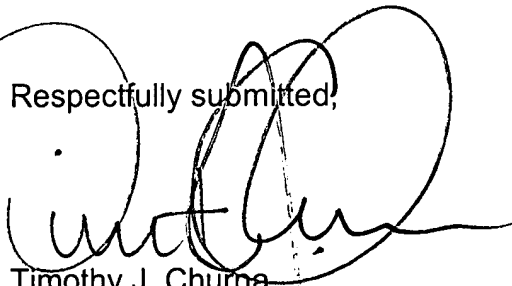
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